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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED
EXAMINING GROUP 3677
PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 05711.0137

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| In re Application of: |) | |
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| Mitsuo HORIKAWA |) | Group Art Unit: 1771 |
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| Application No.: 10/046,286 |) | Examiner: J. Boyd |
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| Filed: January 16, 2002 |) | Confirmation No.: 2337 |
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| For: SLIDE FASTENER TAPE |) | Mail Stop AF |

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

In reply to the Final Office Action mailed June 28, 2006, and pursuant to
37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicant proposes that this application be amended as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment sections of this paper.